

II. REMARKS:**a. Regarding Amendments to Claims:**

The Final Action rejects all pending claims under 35 U.S.C. §112, ¶2 as being indefinite, primarily because it is not clear if Applicant was claiming the combination of the housing and reed-containing frame or merely claiming the housing subcombination. Accordingly, claim 1 is amended by deleting the reference to the combination of the housing and reed-containing frame, to clarify that claim 1 (and all claims depending therefrom) claim only the housing subcombination. Applicant understands from the Telephone Interview that such amendment overcomes said rejection.

The Final Action also rejects as indefinite those claims reciting the limitation "unclaimed". Accordingly, Applicant amends all claims to remove "unclaimed". Applicant understands from the Telephone Interview that such amendment overcomes said rejection.

b. Regarding Objections to the Drawings:

The Final Action objects that the drawings do not depict a plurality of interchangeable frames along with the housing and reed-containing frame. Accordingly, Applicant amends claim 1 to remove the reference to a plurality of interchangeable frames. Applicant understands from the Telephone Interview that such amendment overcomes said rejection.

c. Regarding Allowable Subject Matter.

The Final Action states that claims 1 – 6, 8 – 20 and 22 (i.e., all pending claims) would be allowable if rewritten or amended to overcome the rejections under 35

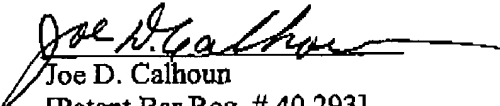
U.S.C. §112, ¶ 2, and to include all of the limitations of the base claim. Applicant understands from the Telephone Interview that the amendments set forth and discussed above overcome said rejections.

III. CONCLUSION

Applicant respectfully submits that the amendments set forth and discussed hereinabove fully satisfy all rejections set forth in the Final Action. Applicant thanks the Examiner for her assistance in this matter. Applicant believes that all rejections have been satisfied, so that all remaining claims of this Application are in condition for allowance as a utility patent.

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